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SUBJ: CSCE: SUBCOMMITTEE ON MILITARY SECURITY (CBM'S);

UK DRAFT RESOLUTION

FOLLOWING IS FINAL VERSION OF DRAFT CBM RESOLUTION WHICH UK DELEGATION NOW PLANS TO TABLE AT NEXT SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING FEBRUARY 5. IN ADDITION TO PREVIOUSLY REPORTED MODIFICATIONS TO ORIGINAL TEXT, THIS VERSION CONTAINS NEW SEVENTH PREAMBULAR PARAGRAPH ON OBSERVERS (WHICH BRITISH HAVE ADDED IN RESPONSE TO BELGIAN SUGGESTION) AND OMITTS THE WORDS "GENEROUS, COMPREHENSIVE AND REGULAR" BEFORE THE WORD "IMPLEMENTATION" IN PART III.

BEGIN TEXT:

PROPOSAL SUBMITTED BY THE DELEGATION OF GREAT BRITAIN

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DRAFT RESOLUTION ON PARAGRAPH 23 OF THE FINAL RECOMMENDATIONS:

CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURES

CONSCIOUS OF THE WIDER OBJECTIVE OF PROMOTING BETTER RELATIONS AMONG THE PARTICIPATING STATES AND OF ENSURING CONDITIONS IN WHICH THEIR PEOPLE CAN LIVE IN PEACE FREE FROM ANY THREAT TO OR ATTEMPT AGAINST THEIR SECURITY;

HAVING IN MIND THE NEED TO REDUCE THE DANGERS OF MISUNDERSTANDING AND MISCALCULATION OF MILITARY ACTIVITIES AND THUS TO CONTRIBUTE TO REDUCING THE DANGERS OF MILITARY CONFLICT IN EUROPE;

REAFFIRMING THE NEED TO GIVE EFFECT TO REFRAINING FROM THE THREAT OR USE OF FORCE IN ANY MANNER INCONSISTENT WITH THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS;

RECOGNISING THAT IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES MILITARY MANOEUVRES AND MOVEMENTS CAN GIVE RISE TO FEARS OF A POSSIBLE THREAT OR USE OF FORCE;

CONSIDERING THAT SUCH FEARS WILL NORMALLY ARISE IN A SITUATION WHERE THE PARTICIPATING STATES LACK CLEAR AND TIMELY INDICATIONS OF EACH OTHER'S INTENTIONS;

CONVINCED THAT THE PROVISION OF RELEVANT INFORMATION ON A CLEARLY DEFINED BASIS WILL CONTRIBUTE TO THEIR OBJECTIVE OF STRENGTHENING CONFIDENCE AND INCREASING STABILITY AND SECURITY;

RECOGNISING THAT THE EXCHANGE OF OBSERVERS AT MILITARY MANOEUVRES WILL HELP TO PROMOTE CONTACT AND MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING;

RECOGNISING ALSO THAT THERE ARE OTHER WAYS IN WHICH INDIVIDUAL STATES CAN CONTRIBUTE TO THIS COMMON OBJECTIVE;

THE PARTICIPATING STATES HAVE DECIDED THAT THEY:

I. WILL GIVE PRIOR NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR MILITARY MANOEUVRES AND MOVEMENTS IN EUROPE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURES:

(A) NOTIFICATION WILL BE GIVEN APPROXIMATELY 60 DAYS IN ADVANCE
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OF THE START OF THE MOVEMENT OR MANOEUVRE, OR, IN THE CASE OF MANOEUVRES OR MOVEMENTS ARRANGED AT SHORTER NOTICE, AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE OPPORTUNITY;

(B) NOTIFICATION WILL BE GIVEN ON A BILATERAL BASIS TO ALL OTHER STATES WHO HAVE PARTICIPATED IN THE CSCE;

(C) NOTIFICATION WILL BE GIVEN OF ANY MAJOR MILITARY MANOEUVRE

OR MOVEMENT COMPRISING ACITIVITY IN EUROPE, BY THE EQUIVALENT OF A DIVISION OR MORE OF TROOPS TOGETHER WITH ANY AIR OR NAVAL COMPONENTS IN WHICH ANY PARTICIPATING STATE IS INVOLVED AND WHICH TAKES PLACE WITHIN, ACROSS OR INTO THE TERRITORY OF ANY PARTICIPATING STATE IN EUROPE;

(D) NOTIFICATION WILL INCLUDE THE PROVISION OF INFORMATION ON THE NAME AND GENERAL DESIGNATION OF THE MANOEUVRE OR MOVEMENT. THE NUMBER OF PERSONNEL INVOLVED AND THE NATURE OF THE UNITS TAKING PART, THE PURPOSE, THE TIMEFRAME, AND THE AREA CONCERNED. IT WILL ALSO INCLUDE THE FINAL POINTS OF DEPARTURE AND DESTINATION OF THE PARTICIPATING UNITS, THE UNIT DESIGNATION AND THE PERIOD OF ABSENCE OF PARTICIPATING UNITS FROM THEIR NORMAL DUTY STATION AND ANY OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION.

II. WILL INVITE EACH OTHER ON A BILATERAL BASIS TO SEND OBSERVERS, IN A GENERALLY RECIPROCAL AND NON-DISCRIMINATORY MANNER, TO ATTEND AS MANY AS POSSIBLE OF THE MILITARY MANOEUVRES THAT THEY MAY HOLD OR HOST IN EUROPE. APPROPRIATE FACILITIES WILL BE PROVIDED.

III. RECOGNISE THAT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE FOLLOWING MEASURES WOULD ALSO CONTRIBUTE TO THE STRENGTHENING OF CONFIDENCE AND SECURITY IN EUROPE -

(A) A GREATER OPENNESS IN THE PUBLIC PRESENTATION OF THE DEFENCE EXPENDITURE OF PARTICIPATING STATES,

(B) INCREASED EXCHANGES AND CONTACTS AMONG MILITARY PERSONNEL OF THE PARTICIPATING STATES ON THE BASIS OF RECIPROCITY. END TEXT.BASSIN

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